


—Fresh Oysters at L. I. Moore's.  
—Bargains in horse clothing at D. M. Martin.  
—Fresh roasted peanuts at E. P. Hostetter's.  
—Kreek & Watson have a full line of groceries at very low figures.  
—L. P. Graham is assisting Circuit Clerk Alkire this week, during court.  
—G. W. Pullen, of Forbes township is feeding two hundred head of cattle.  
—Sheriff Denney was entertained by his brother C. O. one night last week.  
—Mince meat and fruit cake material and sauer kraut at Moore's the grocer.  
—Phil Zillis was up on business Monday and returned to St. Joseph, Tuesday.  
—The place to get your fresh oysters by the dish or can is at E. P. Hostetter's.  
—C. K. Corsant and wife, have taken their departure for their new home in Texas.  
—Joe Batcheller, of St. Joseph, was with his Oregon friends Monday and Tuesday.  
—Thirteen pounds of Granulated sugar for one dollar at L. I. Moore, the Cash Grocer.  
—Finest, large, best and cheapest assortment of candies and nuts at L. I. Moore's the grocer.  
—Cheapest by far in the City.—E. P. Hostetter's line of holiday candies—pure and wholesome.  
—Miss Nettie Gardner, who is teaching music in Drake University, spent her holidays in Chicago.  
—Oh, say, one of those fine winter robes at D. M. Martin's, will be just the thing to buy for a present.  
—Elder Tandy has been conducting a series of meetings at New Liberty school house with good success.  
—A magnificent line of dress goods is now in stock at Kreek & Watson's. Prices in keeping with the times.  
—The best line of boots and shoes ever brought to this city, is now on exhibition at Kreek & Watson's. Prices very low.  
—We regret to learn that little Lucy Peter has been quite ill for the past week, and glad to hear that she is now much better.  
—Buy the light running, best and most finished, Orchard City Wagon, fully warranted. For sale by H. C. Schmidt, Oregon, Mo.  
—Miss Anna Curtis has returned to the Warrensburg school, after a pleasant visit with her parents during the holiday week.  
—Married by Esquire Alkire, at his residence in this city, on Tuesday evening, January 3, 1887, Mr. James T. Noland and Mrs. Francis Dorsey.  
—It don't pay you to let your horses stand over there hitched to the rack all drawn up in a knot, when D. M. Martin sells horse clothing so cheap.  
—St. Charles and Jacob Griffith with A. T. Noland, of Nebraska, went on a hunt one day last week, and killed ninety rabbits. They shipped to Omaha.  
—The installation of the officers of Meyer Post, G. A. R. will occur on next Saturday evening, January 14th. All members were earnestly requested to be present.  
—All members of Meyer Post are earnestly requested to be present at the next meeting of the Post, January 14th. The installation of officers will occur at this meeting.  
—The people of a town must not drive away business or capital by their selfish greed to make all there is to be made. They must give others a chance with themselves.  
—I have a few white Lezhar chickens and a supply of Light Breams and Cockerels. Very fine stock, for sale cheap if taken at once. H. C. Schmidt, Oregon, Missouri.  
—It is useless to wear out a pair of shoes, in looking for the place to buy your holiday tickets and candies—Go direct to E. P. Hostetter's—That's the place and no mistake.  
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—Daniel Zachman has purchased the corner property now occupied by Anderson & Boyd. He and King & Proud will erect a large brick business house upon this lot, and will be occupied by the Greene Shade Co., and King and Proud.  
—John Zachman started out on the road in the interest of the Greene Shade Hanger Company, Philip Schmitz and C. W. Bartram will start next week and with twenty men from Chicago and St. Louis, we anticipate quite a boom for the firm.  
—We are requested to state that ALL accounts due the Holt County Press are due and payable to Clara B. Irvine, Oregon, Mo., and he requests that all be prompt in settling up, as it is his wish to close up the business as soon as it is possible to do so.

—Fresh oysters, by the dish or can at E. P. Hostetter's.  
—Pure Buckwheat flour and Pure Sugar Syrup at Moore's.  
—D. M. Martin is offering blankets, robes and sleighs way down; go and see them.  
—Mixed and stock candy and peanuts the per pound at L. I. Moore's the grocer.  
—Wm. A. Ford, living above Forest City, fell on the ice last Sunday, and broke his leg.  
—For a good lunch, go to the Colorado House, 111 and 116 North 2nd street, St. Joseph.  
—Mrs. J. T. Butler, of Skidmore has been entertained the past week, by Mrs. S. Q. Goslin.  
—F. L. Harmon, of Milton, has been visiting his best girl who resides near Oregon for the past week.  
—For Sale Very Cheap—Two good second-hand wagons. Call at once. H. C. Schmidt, Oregon, Mo.  
—Go to L. I. Moore's for your Candies, Nuts, and Fruits for the Holidays. Best and cheapest place in Oregon.  
—Miss Gertrude Cummins entertained a party of friends on Friday evening last. It was a most happy occasion.  
—L. I. Moore, the Grocer, says he wants your trade and intends to get it if good goods and low prices are any inducements.  
—It is now tax-paying time. We would also remind our gentle reader that while in town paying taxes is a good time to pay for his paper.  
—Chicken, Ham and Sausage lunch, served at all hours of the day, at the Colorado House, Joe Oppenheimer, proprietor, 111 and 116 North Second street, St. Joseph.  
—Letters remaining uncalled for at the Post Office at Oregon, January 1st, 1887: James D. Thos. Fee, Miss Millie Jenkins (2), Wm. Morton Charles Paxton, Mr. Spry, Wm. C. Wischart, L. J. Williams.  
—Jas. W. Kelley has returned from South Missouri and Arkansas, where he had been prospecting. He returns fully convinced that Holt County is equal if not superior to any country he had seen in his tour.  
—Letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Oregon, January 1st, 1887: Mr. Brumman; Robt. Davidson; Geo. Lowelton; Matt London; Benj. Shafer, Columbus Tuttle, Liza A. Tuttle; James Weightman.  
—Rheumatism and Neuralgia cured in 1 to 3 days for 75 cents by DeChon's "Mystic Cure." Do not suffer and waste money on other remedies. This absolutely never fails. Sold by Hinde & Philbrick, Oregon, Mo.  
—English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft, or calloused lumps and swellings from horses, blood spavins, curbs, splints, swellings, sprains, sore and swollen throat, coughs etc. Save 50c by use of one bottle. Every bottle warranted by Hinde & Philbrick, Druggists, Oregon, Mo.  
—The Greene Manufacturing Company came on Monday and started off with the New Year by electing Daniel Zachman as president, P. J. Zillis, vice president, Jas. W. Greene, business manager and J. T. Taylor as secretary and treasurer. Mr. Charles Zachman has been employed to take charge of the books.  
—Married at the residence of the bride's parents, in this city, on the evening of the 29th inst., by Rev. J. R. Sassen, Miss John E. Thuma and Mr. A. W. King, both of this city. The wedding was a very quiet one, and as both the bride and groom have host of friends in our vicinity, they but join with the SENTINEL in wishing Mr. and Mrs. King a long and happy life.  
—F. S. Idings has sold his farm 41-1 miles northwest of Matland to John Gorman, of Matland, who will move on to the farm in the spring. Mr. Idings will remove with his family to Logan County, Kansas, in the spring. While we are sorry to lose Mr. Idings, we congratulate the citizens of Logan County on their acquisition, as he is an enterprising and energetic man. May you prosper in your new home in the wish of the SENTINEL.  
—Messrs Hinde & Burgess have put in machinery at the old Forest City brewery, and have made every arrangement for grinding meal and feed, and as the farmers of that section are greatly in need of an enterprise of this kind, they no doubt will give this enterprise their liberal patronage. They are now ready for business and your grists. Remember, if you are in need of feed or meal, to call at the Forest City grist mill and make your purchase. These gentlemen deserve your patronage.  
—The pleasant duty devolves upon us again to chronicle the marriage of two of Forest City's Young people—Mr. Louis Burgess and Miss Nellie Canon, were united in marriage Sunday evening, January 1st, 1887, at the home of Captain W. S. Canon. The relatives and a few special friends witnessed the interesting ceremony as performed by Rev. Deane, of the M. E. church, South. An elegant repast was prepared under the supervision of Mrs. Canon, to which the company gave their most devoted attention. The happy couple is well and favorably known in this part of the county, both occupying prominent places in the social world. Mr. Burgess holds a lucrative position with the firm of Schwartz & Bolen, commission merchants of Kansas City, to which place the young couple go to make their future home, accompanied by the best wishes of a host of friends.

—The Best 5-Cent cigar in town at E. P. Hostetter's.  
—Smoke L. I. Moore's "Free Delivery" Cigar; best in the city.  
—The City's fire ladders are expected to arrive this week or the first of next.  
—Robert Herschner, son of J. C. Herschner, of Salem, Kansas, is visiting with his grandfather Andrew Herschner, of Nodaway township.  
—Mr. D. P. Sneli has started a hack line between Forest City and this place, having purchased the livery stock of Miller & Cain at the former city.  
—There are some men in business who never advertise, and they are constantly complaining that times are hard, and the country is no good. If these same business men, would advertise judiciously, they would at the end of the year, see their business greatly improved.  
—T. O. Davis and his sister, Ella, were visiting Mound City friends last week. T. O. is developing into an M. D. at an astonishing rate, and is sure to make a success of his chosen profession. He is a student of the Kansas City Medical College and has been home for the holidays.  
—Albert Deeming returned last Wednesday from South Western Nebraska, where he spent the summer. He has rented the Mole Dodge place for the ensuing year. Mrs. Dodge contemplates starting for Athens, Tennessee, about the 15th inst. to spend the winter with her cousin in hopes a sunnier climate will prove beneficial to her health.  
—The entertainment at the Christian church on last Saturday evening was a pleasant affair, and very appropriately arranged for the occasion—New Year's Eve. The speaking was occasionally interspersed by songs which had their respective and proper places in the entertainment. The participants did admirably, and the Sunday school teachers and scholars deserve credit for their successful efforts in giving one of the most appropriate holiday entertainments ever held in our city.  
—The eclipses of 1887 will take place on the following dates: A total eclipse of the moon will occur on January 25, a partial eclipse of the sun on February 11, another partial observation of the same body on July 8 a total eclipse of the moon on July 22, and a partial eclipse of the sun on August 7. The two total eclipses of the moon will be visible in the United States, but the solar observations will not be seen by any residents of this country unless they chance to be in Europe, Asia or Africa at the time these events take place.  
—We failed to get a report of the Temperance crusade anniversary which was commemorated in Mound City by the W. C. T. U. of that place the 23d ult. The leading feature of the program was the very excellent address delivered by Mrs. Belle Downey, reviewing the temperance movement. Future turg and pointed remarks were made by Rev. Irvine, Dr. Tracy and Mrs. Ballard, and the program was enhanced by recitations from Mrs. Tracy, Miss Myrtle Ballard and George Carpenter, and a song by Miss Amanda Mumm.  
—Married Dec. 25, 1887, at the home of the bride's parents by Stephen Hinchard, Lee Cotton and Miss Ida Baker, she being the fourth daughter of Wm and Martha F. Baker. The attractions of the bride with the social qualities possessed by Mr. and Mrs. Baker, drew to their lovely home a large circle of friends to witness the marriage of their daughter. After the ceremony and the happy couple had received the congratulations of those present, they were all invited to a table laden not alone with the substantial but the luxuries of life.  
—From the handsome girl's head, lithographed in colors, nicely cut out, to the last slip of the pad, Hood's House-hold Calendar for 1888 is thoroughly artistic. Every month is beautifully engraved, and each slip as torn off presents a new and pleasing combination of color printing. Hood's Calendar easily leads the procession. It is nice enough for any parlor and has so many excellent points in arrangement and convenience that it must be seen to be appreciated. Copies may be obtained at the drug stores, or by sending six cents in stamps to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.  
—Oregon Lodge of Masons gave an elegant reception to invited friends on last Monday evening, at which a public installation of officers was held, Past Grand Master Boyd officiating, assisted by Christ. Hubacher and Joseph Batcheller of St. Joseph. An excellent musical program was furnished by Mr. Hoffmann's choir, and with Mr. Boyd in charge of the gavel and Mr. Hubacher as Grand Marshal, the following officers were installed: W. M., R. B. Kenney; S. W., S. W. Morrison; J. W., R. C. Benton; Secretary, J. T. Thatcher; S. D., S. F. O'Fallon; J. D., J. T. Howell; S. Stewart, Wm. Kaucher; J. Stewart, T. C. Dungan; Tyler, F. S. Stock. At the conclusion of the installation, Mr. Kenney, the Master elect, made a few remarks, thanking the brethren for the honor conferred upon him; after which, Mr. Boyd spoke at length upon the objects and aims of Free Masonry. The effort was a scholarly one, rich in thought and so well worded and his sentences so excellently guarded as to utterly leave the ladies as much mystery as to Masonry, as they have heretofore enjoyed, but to the entered apprentice and master, his remarks were most thoroughly understood, and no doubt greatly appreciated by the craft—as well as the intelligent audience that had assembled.

—A good, square meal only 25 cents at E. P. Hostetter's.  
—Dr. S. B. Lukens, will return from New Mexico, in a few weeks.  
—Select fresh oysters only 50 cents per can at E. P. Hostetter's.  
—Dan Grimes is proud over that boy that arrived at his house on Tuesday last.  
—Thirteen pounds of Granulated sugar for one dollar at L. I. Moore, the Cash Grocer.  
—Lewis R. Kinney, of Chicago, was entertained a few days this week by Miss Emma Hostetter.  
—Clare Irvine will shortly go to Japan in the interest of the Lohorn Publishing Company, of Baltimore, Maryland.  
—W. B. Davis is back from Beeler-ville, Kansas; he with his family will remove to that place in early spring.  
—Frank Peter has accepted a position with Toole, Hosen & Co., St. Joseph, and will go to work about February 1st.  
—Beginning with the new year, freight rates will be twenty-five per cent lower between Missouri river points and Chicago. This means hundreds of thousands dollars to Western farmers.  
—The most poverty-stricken individual that this world contains, is the man who lives for himself alone. Breathing over and over again the vitiated atmosphere of his pet-up prison house, he may be said to die by his own breath.  
—Thos. Morrow informs us that we now have direct communication with Forest City, Mo., by telegraph. Hereafter, all telegrams for Forest City and our county seat, were routed via St. Joseph. By this new arrangement there will be no delay, and patrons may expect prompt service on messages to the county seat.—Mound City News.  
—A Justice of the Peace at Washington, Mo, has instituted a novel punishment for three boys who were found guilty of stealing at that place on last Friday. The Justice made a proposition to the fathers of the young thieves that if they would publicly whip them at the city hall their fine should be nominal. The fathers agreed and the boys were flogged in the presence of about two hundred school children. Everybody seemed to enjoy it.  
—The latest place in our County, during the month of December was, evidently, in the County Clerk's office. His report just made to the County Clerk shows his December collections to have reached the unprecedented sum of \$35,386.74; subdivided as follows: County, \$10,314.55; State, \$12,004.00; School, \$12,563.74; road, \$690.44, incidental \$72.21 in order that this sum could be handled, it has kept Deputy Collector Richards and his assistant at the desk on an average of seventeen hours a day.  
—From an exchange we learn that two photographers have been traveling through the east, swindling the unsuspecting public in a stylish way. They advertise to take cabinet photographs for less than the actual cost of the material used which is invariably in advance, and when they have secured enough booty from their victims to assure their escape, they skip, leaving their patrons to whistle for their money's worth; therefore THE SENTINEL takes these measures of warning the public against these thieves and swindlers.  
—Married in St. Joseph, January 1st 1887, by Rev. Nestor, Mr. Sigman Oppenheimer of St. Joseph and Miss Dora, daughter of J. C. Willie, of Forbes township. The groom is a brother of Mr. Joseph Oppenheimer, and is now proprietor of the favorite Fish Restaurant of that city and has hosts of friends in this section who join us in wishing him and his fair bride a prosperous and happy life. The bride has a large circle of friends in this part of our county who esteem and love her for her many womanly qualities. May you both live long and prosper.  
—We have information that some persons are advertising "early seed corn" in Kansas at exorbitant prices. It is an inveterate rule that honest men, having a good article for sale, are satisfied with a reasonable price; and an other rule of equal force is, that honest men are always willing to pay a fair price for whatever they purchase. When a man comes along with ninety-day seed corn, for instance, and offers it for sale at \$1 or \$5 a bushel, it is perfectly safe to let that man alone and buy seed corn from somebody who you know. It is always safe to let other people buy things at ten times the price ruling for common articles of the same kind.—Kansas Farmer.  
—We hear considerable complaint about the scarcity of sign boards over the country. The last Legislature passed the following act, and every road overseer see that its provisions should be obeyed: "Every Overseer shall erect and keep a post at every fork cross roads in his district that would likely mislead, to which shall be affixed a finger-board, containing a legible inscription, directing the way and noting the distance to the next important place on the road, for which he shall be allowed not more than one dollar." Failure to comply makes him guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction he shall be fined in a sum not less than \$5 nor more than \$20.

—The East Side drug store has the bridge off, and is running wild on drugs and groceries.  
—M. W. Drury has taken the road in the interest of McKinney, Handley & Walker, of St. Joseph.  
—Chas. Evans says he is selling Lett's Ex Tar and wild cherry cough Syrup \$1 size for 60c.  
—Rev. Sapp has closed his series of meetings at the Minnesota Valley, church with twenty additions.  
—Quite an interest is being manifested in the protracted meeting at the Pierce school house, conducted by Rev. Sassen. About twenty have responded to the call "Who wants to be a Christian?"  
—The Ladies working Social of the M. E. Church will give a Social at Hobbitt Hall, above the printing office, on Tuesday Evening January 10th. Oysters, Coffee, Tea, Cake and good things; come every body. Admission five cents.  
**Circuit Court.**  
The January term of our Circuit Court convened on Monday last, all the officers of the court being present. The following grand jurors were impaneled:  
Grand—Adam Smith, N. F. Murray Wm. Wood, Andrew Greiner, Wm. R. Risk, Thos. Storey, Jno. Pugh, H. F. Nay, Alvin Boring, Silas Herschner, Jas. Gaffney, Conrad List. Judge Anthony delivered a careful and wise charge to the jury after which they retired to begin their work of investigation. The following petit jurors were then sworn: Samuel Evans, James Scott, Peter Dearmont, W. J. Sager, Wm. Wrightman, Wm. Brodbeck, G. W. Gaskill, H. Patterson, Stewart Keeyes, Sam Kahn, Sam Hardy, G. W. Hitt, Jas. Gelvin, Philip Schlottzauer, Bowen Wise, W. G. Jones, Jas. Ball, C. S. Armstrong, R. H. Kennish, Abram Loucks, Henry Naber, S. N. Stout, Minor Taylor.  
The following business has been disposed of:  
State vs. S. F. Well, four cases; continued by agreement, John L. Swape vs. Wm. Long; defendant files motion for east bond.  
C and S. W. Wilson vs. J. and J. G. Wilson; plainiff files agreement for attorney fees. E. Van Buskirk files report of Commissioner.  
State vs. Horace Bartlett; defendant files motion to quash amended information.  
A. R. and Mary McKee vs. F. S. A. S. and I. C. Pearce; defendants A. S. and I. C. Pearce files motion to dismiss.  
Mary McKee vs. F. S. Pearce and W. F. Talbot; defendant files motion to dismiss as to all except F. S. Pearce. Plaintiff agrees to amend petition, motion to quash and dismiss overruled.  
C. G. Jesse vs. Jao F. Davis, adm'r estate G. M. Dodge; defendant files answer.  
A. R. and Mary McKee vs. J. M. Ford and E. Van Buskirk Executors estate R. H. Russell; motion to quash garnishee and dismiss garnishment; motion to dismiss; order of sale; leave to file interplea.  
Lemuel A. Meadows vs. F. S. Pearce et al; plaintiff files pro of publication.  
Moses U. Payne vs. K. C. railroad; plaintiff files bill of exceptions.  
William Sells vs. Fasset Hawley; continued by agreement.  
Joseph Baker vs. K. C. railroad; continued by agreement.  
Anna Wilson et al vs. Mary Gallihier; proof of publication filed.  
Satira E. Robinson et al vs. Margaret Taylor; proof of publication filed.  
Matthew Brady vs. F. R. Nelson and wife; proof of publication filed.  
R. & George Hunter vs. Frank Saunders et al; continued.  
James L. Wilson vs. J. H. Williams et al; motion to suppress deposition.  
Orvil Graves vs. I. C. Pearce and Thad Anderson; dismissed at cost of Anderson.  
Orvil Graves vs. Walter S. Smith et al; judgment as to W. H. Smith; dismissed as to W. S. Smith and D. H. Thuma.  
L. A. Meadows vs. F. S. Pearce et al; judgment by default.  
L. A. Meadows vs. A. L. Pearce et al; judgment by default.  
H. S. and G. Carson vs. J. W. Glenn; judgment by default.  
State vs. Willie McFadden information overruled.  
State vs. David Roderick; to jury not guilty.



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